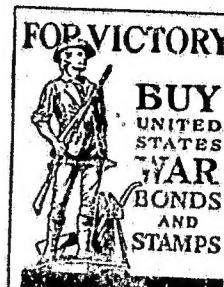


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ABBOTT BUILDINGS BURNED SATURDAY

The farm home of Stephen and Mabel Abbott on Swan's Hill was practically destroyed by fire after the barn was struck by lightning during a severe storm Saturday afternoon. Two horses, three calves, a young sow and 50 hens were lost in the blaze. Most of the farming tools were out of doors so were not damaged, but a truck loaded with hay, which was driven into the barn just before the shower, was lost together with considerable new hay.

A quick response was made and an able fight put up by the Bethel pumper crew, so that a 24x24 henhouse and a 20x30 woodshed containing five or six cords of wood, connected with the house and barn, were saved. The house was badly damaged, nothing being saved from the second floor, while the furnishings on the ground floor were removed in good condition.

The property was insured but the loss, which was not estimated, will be heavy. The Abbotts are now living in another house on their farm.

BETHEL

Dr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence returned from Boston last week.

Sam Barbrick of Portland spent Tuesday at the home of E. P. Brown.

Frank Littlehale of Springfield, Mass., is spending the week at his home here.

Miss Lorraine Swan underwent surgery for appendicitis at the C. M. G. Hospital, Monday.

Herman Cummings Jr. of Locke Mills was a recent guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Meserve, and family.

Miss Elizabeth Lyon was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Penley at West Paris over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Euberto York of Newburyport, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown.

The Rebekah card party that was scheduled for July 18 has been postponed until the latter part of August.

Mrs. Ernest Angevine and infant daughter returned home from the St. Louis Hospital at Berlin, Friday.

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W. BETHEL UNION CHAPEL VACATION SCHOOL SUCCESS

In times like these people are realizing the need for some "down-on-our-knees" prayer periods. This is true of our youth as well as our adults. For three days of this last week youth from Shelburne, Gilford and West Bethel spent their mornings and afternoons following the theme of "Prayer." The Lord's Prayer was used as a basis. The why? how? when? and where? of prayer was approached through handicraft, story-telling worship, and song. The final day of the school found pupils bringing their work to a close, preparing to the closing picnic party.

Leaders of the school were: Mrs. E. M. Little, Hampton Falls, N. H., Director of the Mountain Mission by Mail; who also presented several certificates to those who had completed last year's lessons-by-mail courses; Rev. and Mrs. H. Murray Elliott, Berlin, N. H., Mrs. Albert Bennett, Mrs. Catherine Wilson, and Rev. Don Fife, West Bethel.

Students enrolled were: Elizabeth and Shirley Hayes of Shelburne; Ruth and Howard Donahue, Jean Frazer, Joanne and Raymond Baker, Merle Cole of Gilford; Jacqueline, Prudence, and Virginia Lathrop of Madison; Mary, Joseph and Reginald Kneeland, Stella and Anne Harding, Patricia Rolfe, Elizabeth and Patricia Davis, John, Arthur, and David Head, Sonny and Catherine Kimball, Charles Smith, Ruth and Robert Hutchinson, Lois McInnis, Nancy Dupee.

Rodney Eames of Hartford, Conn., formerly of Bethel, and Miss Kathryn I. MacKay of Wytopitlock were united in marriage at Coaticook, Que., Saturday by Rev. Ray Stafford.

Mrs. Eames is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. MacKay of Wytopitlock. She was graduated from Wytopitlock High School in 1940. Mr. Eames is the son of Mrs. J. B. Chapman of Bethel and attended Gould Academy.

The couple left Sunday to make their home in Hartford, Conn., where Mr. Eames is employed in the Pratt and Whitney factory.

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GASOLINE RATIONING

Registration for gasoline rationing is taking place in Bethel today and tomorrow, Friday, July 10.

Registration takes place in Bethel as follows:

Bethel Grammar School, Thursday and Friday, 2 to 8 p. m.

West Bethel School, Thursday, 3 to 8 p. m.

East Bethel School, Thursday, 3 to 8 p. m.

South Bethel School, Thursday, 4 to 8 p. m.; Friday 6 to 8 p. m.

Northwest Bethel School, Friday, 5 to 8:30 p. m.

Motorists are registering for A books today and tomorrow. These coupon books contain 48 coupons and it has been announced that holders will be entitled to four gallons for each coupon. These books are for one year's use. B and C books will be used to issue supplementary rations to motorists who are legally entitled to more than the A books.

Special books are provided for motorcycle and truck owners and non-highway users. Each motorist must post on his windshield a sticker identifying the type of ration card he holds.

Application blanks for B and C books will be issued at the school sites during the initial registration period and are to be filed with the War Price and Rationing Board.

LOCAL USO FUND GROWS

Since the announcement of the result of the USO appeal for funds in the Citizen last week additional gifts amounting to \$81 have been received. The town's total now stands at \$197.75.

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BETHEL TO HAVE A UNIT OF STATE GUARD RESERVE

A growing interest is shown in the formation of a platoon or company of the State Guard Reserve in Bethel. Nearly all of the members of the Home Guard which organized here last fall have signed up in the new company, although so many are now employed elsewhere that they are but a nucleus for a new group. However, with 20 already registered there is promise of a fine group as the drill proceeds. The new members are showing much interest in the work and it is expected that a much better showing will be made than formerly. The company meets at the Grange Hall Monday evenings at 7 o'clock.

FILIAULT—MORTON

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Morton of North Newry when their daughter, Ramona R. Morton, became the bride of Origene L. Filiault Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Origene Filiault of Rumford, on June 25. Rev. Norman Scruton performed the double ring ceremony.

The home was attractively decorated with peonies and roses.

The couple was attended by the bride's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton, of Sebago Lake.

The bride wore an aqua suit with yellow accessories. She carried a white prayer book with yellow roses and a shower of white sweet-peas and yellow rose buds. The matron of honor was dressed in rose and carried a colonial bouquet of roses and a variety of small flowers.

A brief honeymoon was spent at Naples, and the couple are now residing at Sebago Lake for the summer months.

Mrs. Filiault was born in Andover. She is a graduate of Gould Academy, Bethel, and of the Rumford Community Hospital School of Nursing. She also took a post-graduate course at the Providence Lying-In Hospital, Providence, R. I. She has recently been employed at a Portland hospital.

Mr. Filiault, of Portland, was born in Rumford and is a graduate of Stephens High School, Rumford. He has attended a welding school in Portland. He is now employed as a welder in the South Portland shipyard.

MRS. ALMA MITCHELL

Mrs. Alma Mitchell died Friday at the home of her grandson, Winfield Howe, after a long illness. She was born at Milan, N. H., Sept. 2, 1887, the daughter of Stephen and Lucy Twitchell Folsom.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lennie Howe; a grandson, Winfield Howe; a great grandson, Sidney Howe, all of Bethel; a niece, Mr. H. L. Kendall of Worcester, Mass.; and a nephew, Harris Hannin of Wyoming.

Funeral services were held from the Greenleaf funeral home Sunday afternoon. Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Burial was at Milan.

The following poem, entitled "Mother," was read at the service:

My mother dear, thy toil and care
Were freely, freely given

To make the homes wherein we dwell

A little bit of heaven.
No task too humble for thy love

To make it fair and fine;
In tender years thy children learned

The love of God from thine.

Miss Katherine Kelley went to Boston last week to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown and son, Harold, of Mexico spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Brown.

Those from other towns attending the funeral of Charles A. Austin Friday were: Mrs. Emma Libby, Woodford; Miss Dorothy Willey, Norway; Alvy Willey, Berwick; A. A. Keene, A. T. Cole, and Dwight Turner of Buckfield.

HUTCHINSONS WED 50 YEARS LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hutchinson of West Bethel celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday July 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, who are life long residents of Mason and Bethel, were married July 2, 1892, at Bethel at the home of Gilman Bear, by Rev. Perry. They are both past members of Pleasant Valley Grange and always have been active workers in the West Bethel Union Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson have four sons: Curtis of Portland, Holton of West Bethel, Loton of Bethel; also four grandchildren, Richard of Portland, Ruth and Robert of West Bethel, and Bartlett of Bethel. Their son, Gilman, and wife, the former Miss Elizabeth McKenzie, were married July 2, and they too celebrated on this date their fifth anniversary.

Mrs. Hutchinson is noted for her fine needlework and Mr. Hutchinson for his hobbies of beautiful varieties of flowers and building bird houses of miniature churches, which he sends to friends as far south as Florida.

Sunday afternoon at 1:30 a picnic dinner was enjoyed. Mrs. Lura Westleigh, aged 83 years, wife of Stephen Westleigh, was the oldest guest present, and Mary Head, aged three months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head, was the youngest guest present.

Sunday evening a reception was held at Union Chapel at 7:30 to which they were escorted by their grandchildren to the place of honor where they stood under an arch of gold and a wedding bell with fir trees as their background, and the following program was presented:

Processional, Here Comes the Bride

Invocation, Rev. Don Fife

Presentation of Flowers, Ruth Hutchinson

Hymn, All Music, Miss Hazel Grover and Mrs. Laurence Lord

Original Poem, Mrs. Addie Kendall Mason

Music, Robert Cummings and Richard Hutchinson

Message, Rev. Don Fife

Music, O Promise Me, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord, Miss Hazel Grover

Original Poem, Mrs. Bertha Mundt

Presentation of Key with Money, Mrs. Loton Hutchinson

Hymn, Blest Be the Tie that Binds, All Recessional

Refreshments were served after the reception by their sons and wives. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson received many nice gifts and money from relatives and friends.

Out of town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hutchinson and son, Richard, and Robert Cummings of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Millett, Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deane, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Amy Proctor and grandson, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills, Albany; Mrs. Harlan Shaw, Hermon; Mr. and Mrs. Loton Hutchinson and son, Bartlett, Bethel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Baker were at Harpswell, Sunday.

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America this summer is like a thrifty housewife who "puts up" everything she can for her hungry family and in the growing season makes plans for the long, dark days of winter. Never before has the food industry of this country had such responsibility as now. Not only must there be ample provision for the homes of the country there must also be the best army rations the world has ever known for our fighting men at home and abroad. And there must be millions of tons of vital food for our hungry allies.

Because of these expanded needs, the food industry has buckled down to an unprecedented program of preservation and conservation. Dehydration, that efficient new method of preserving food, is going forward by leaps and bounds as great quantities of vegetables are compressed into incredibly small size in order to send them abroad in limited shipping space. Great cargoes of meat are sealed in blankets of lard in order to make use of space in ordinary freighters, and frozen foods are being used in vast quantities by the army.

Meanwhile, new methods of packaging are being devised, as less tin and foil and cellophane are available. Already we're getting coffee and fruit in glass jars and lard in cardboard containers and they say we may be offered various foods "in bulk" before the year is over.

The food industry looks to the

pel of better nutrition. We've had an abundance of food for many years, but we haven't all used it as we should. Today the whole country is waking up to the need of for properly balanced diets, and advertisements, store display cards, and radio programs, as well as magazine articles and lectures, are helping to make every housewife in the land nutrition-wise.

We're already restricted in the use of sugar, and more things may be rationed before the war is over. Certain imported foods are unavailable, and more will be added to this list. But out of our present difficulties are coming a better fed nation and a food industry already known to be the best in the world that will serve us even more efficiently and economically once the war is won.

BRYANT'S MARKET

- FRI. SAT. SPECIALS -

Club Sirloin STEAK	1 lb. 45c	Kant. Miss FLY SWATTERS	each 10c
Swift's Smoked Mild SHOULDER	1 lb. 33c	IGA All Purpose COCOA	1/2 lb. can 10c
Swift's Clover SLICED BACON	1 lb. 35c	Gold Test WHEAT FLAKES	2 pkgs. 19c
Fresh PORK LIVERS	1 lb. 22c	IGA Laking CHOCOLATE	1/2 lb. 16c
California Sunburst Valencia ORANGES	doz. 25c	Baker's VANILLA	2 oz. bot. 33c
New Native CELERY	bunch 17c	Dawn TOILET TISSUE	4 rolls 25c
Red Ripe TOMATOES	2 lbs. 29c	Jay Tee MACARONI	6 7 oz. pkgs. 25c
RINSO	2 large pkgs. 45c	IGA APPLE SAUCE	No. 2 can 11c
OXYDOL	2 large pkgs. 45c	IGA GRAPEFRUIT	No. 2 can 15c
Free Running IGA SALT	3 2 lb. pkgs. 25c	IGA Sweetened or Unsweetened GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	can 10c
Vin Pepp DOG FOOD	3 cans 26c	IGA TOMATO JUICE	20 oz. 10c
		IGA PANCAKE FLOUR	2 pkg. 10c
		IGA WHEAT CEREAL	pkg. 21c

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MRS. ALBERT McCREADY
APPOINTED EMERGENCY
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Mrs. Albert McCready of Norway has been appointed war emergency home demonstration agent in Oxford County by the Maine Agricultural Extension Service for the two months' period, July and August.

Mrs. McCready will assist Miss Ethel Walsh, the regular Extension home demonstration agent. They will conduct a series of food preservation demonstrations in every rural neighborhood in Oxford county at which they will demonstrate the most approved methods of canning, drying, salting and storing fruits and vegetables for winter use. These meetings will be a part of a nationwide program of food preservation in wartime sponsored by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Mrs. McCready is a graduate of the University of Maine, where she majored in the field of home economics. She was for several years county 4-H club agent in Oxford county. She has taught courses in emergency feeding in several Oxford county towns this spring.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:

William B. Bartlett, late of Bethel, deceased; Farnie H. Bartlett, of Bethel, Executrix without bond, June 18th, 1942.

George W. Day, late of Woodstock, deceased; Ernest C. Day of Bryant Pond, Executor without bond, June 16, 1942.

William Francis Swan, late of Hanover, deceased; Clarence G. Howe of Greenwood, Admr. C. T. A. with bond, May 29, 1942.

W. Ashby Tibbets, late of Bethel, deceased; Raymond R. Tibbets of Bethel, Administrator with bond, June 16, 1942.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said June, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1942, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ernest M. Walker, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Carroll S. Mitchell, Conservator.

Eliphalet E. Whitney, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Lizzie L. Whitney, executrix.

Albert H. Gibbs, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Flora B. Gibbs as administratrix of the estate of said deceased with bond, presented by Flora B. Gibbs, widow and statutory heir.

Malvina C. Abbott, late of Upton, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Gerard S. Williams, Admr. d. b. n. c. t. a.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD Register. 29

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RED & WHITE Tree Ripened APRICOTS	No. 2 1/2 can 27c	WHEATIES 2 pkgs. 21c
RED & WHITE Fancy TOMATOES	2 No. 2 cans 31c	RED & WHITE Crystal White SYRUP No. 1 1/2 tin 17c
RED & WHITE Fancy TOMATOES	No. 2 1/2 can 19c	RED & WHITE CAKE FLOUR 44 oz. pkg. 23c
RED & WHITE HAXTON FANCY PEAS & CARROTS	can 18c	RED & WHITE Semi-Sweet CHOCOLATE 2 7 oz. pkgs. 25c
RED & WHITE CLAMS	5 oz. can 25c	RED & WHITE Maine CLAMS
KRISPY CRACKERS	1 lb. 19c	WHEAT TOAST
WAFERS	pkg. 10c	WAFFERS
RED & WHITE Lemon Scent CLEANSER	can 5c	RED & WHITE Rich Delicous MILK
RED & WHITE CORN FLAKES	for 25c	3 tall cans 24c
RED & WHITE WHEAT FLAKES	2 pkgs. 23c	PALM BEACH
RED & WHITE BRAN FLAKES	pkg. 9c	ORANGE JUICE 46 oz. can. 37c
KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES	2 pkgs. 25c	PALM BEACH
GRACE COURN'S for CHICKENS	sale here	ORANGE JUICE No. 2 can 15c
DEW KIST FROZEN FOODS		RED & WHITE
		GRAPEFRUIT Juice 46 oz. 31c
		RED & WHITE Large PRUNES
		2 lb. pkg. 20c
		RED & WHITE Extra Large PRUNES
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Front, or flat lighting, is the kind you get when you stand behind the camera, it is rather routine and ordinary. It does not result in a good picture, but will give you perfectly good snapshots.

Side lighting is probably better suited to get the most pleasing effect. Side lighting is the kind you get when you stand to the left or right of the camera, it is rather routine and ordinary. It does not result in a good picture, but will give you perfectly good snapshots.

After the last war, people were definitely tired of militarism and all that it involved. Working for that "war to end all wars" had been finally fought and the American people and the government proceeded to spend their military power with great speed. A large part of the war was scuttled. The American force was reduced to 130,000 men, a force that was mainly a fourth-class European force. The Air Force was reduced to the vanishing point. The contributions for all the military were cut to the absolute pittance. The warnings and the General MacArthur, who was convinced that another war was coming and a disbelieving nation, drew ourselves from our commitments as swiftly as possible, and pursued a policy of 100 per cent isolation.

The American people think in very different ways. They, and their both parties, are combining to realize the immense obligation of our world leadership and our responsibility to our own, as well as to the world.

As the United States puts it, after the war, "we will be in no shape to rule the world".

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MAKING BETTER USE OF LIGHT



A combination of back and top lighting is principally responsible for the fine pictorial effect of this snapshot. Keep an eye on the direction of the light, and you'll be able to produce equally effective results.

MOND the fundamental tools of all photographers, light holds an unequalled position. But most of us take the sun, and flash or flood lamps, almost for granted. We do not stop to realize how much the direction of light means to a picture.

If you watch carefully you'll see that in most instances light strikes your subjects from one of three major directions—front, side, or back. Outdoors those forms of illumination are normally tempered by a touch of top lighting, but each of those types produces a definite effect. Remember that, and you'll find that you can use light to control the quality and mood of your snapshots.

Front, or flat lighting, which is the kind you get when the sun is behind the camera, is, for instance, rather routine and ordinary in effect. It does not result in too attractive black-and-white prints, but it will give you perfectly acceptable record pictures. Pictorially, the light is too low in contrast to give the most pleasing effect.

Side lighting is probably much better suited to general purpose

photography. It almost invariably provides a pleasant balance of highlights and shadows; it helps to achieve a third dimensional effect in your pictures; it emphasizes textures; and it provides the basic contrast necessary to brilliant pictures. Use it often.

The third division is back lighting—the kind that exists when the sun is shining directly at the camera. With back lighting you'll get the type of effect found in our illustration, but in this case reflector was also used to brighten the side of the subject nearest the camera. It's just the thing too for making outdoor silhouette, or semi silhouette, pictures. It's good for landscape studies. And, if you use reflector to brighten the shadow side of your subjects, it's a highly effective lighting for portraiture. There's just one thing to watch for: don't let the sun shine directly into the camera lens. Use a lens hood or shade your camera with your hand.

Watch the light, and you'll be able to see your picture quality move steadily upwards.

John van Guilder

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

After the last war, the American people were definitely sick and tired of militarism and all that it involved. Working on the theory that "the war to end wars" had been finally fought and won, the American people and their government proceeded to scrap their military power with astonishing speed. A large part of the Navy was scuttled. The Army was reduced to 130,000 men—a smaller force than was maintained by many a fourth-class European power. The Air Force was reduced almost to the vanishing point. Appropriations for all the military services were cut to the absolute bone, despite the warnings and pleadings of such foresighted commanders as General MacArthur, who was convinced that another and greater war was coming and said so to a disbelieving nation. We withdrew ourselves from our foreign commitments as swiftly as possible, and pursued a policy of 100 per cent isolation.

The American people seem to think in very different terms today. They, and their leaders in both parties, are coming to realize the immense obligations which our world leadership will impose on us after, as well as during the war. As the United States News puts it, after the war, "The World will be in no shape to run itself. There will be the task of policing and of putting on their feet the 300,000,000 people of Europe. There will be the task of dealing with

80,000,000 people in Japan....A year or two may elapse between the last battle and the actual peace treaty. During this period....large occupational forces will be needed....The size of the task involved indicated a force of 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 men outside the United States."

No one regards this prospect with any particular pleasure. Instead, it is regarded as a matter of sheer necessity, whether we like it or not. And there is an amazing unanimity of opinion as to what must be done. For instance, both Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Willkie who hold extremely opposed points of view on many vital domestic issues, see almost eye to eye when it comes to America's role as stabilizer and policeman in the post-war world. Former President Hoover is co-author of a thoughtful new book in which he too argues that the American destiny lies in a kind of internationalism which is the direct antithesis of our national attitude during the '20's. And American industrial leaders, in all fields of enterprise, hold

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similar opinions. There is, of course, much argument as to the best details of our post-war policy—but there is little argument as to the basic principles which must underly that policy.

It will cost a great deal of money to police and rehabilitate the world. It will require the maintenance of a gigantic Air Force, and of a very large Navy and Army. It may involve outright gifts to stricken nations. It will mean that, in the interest of world peace, we will have to forego some of our past trade advantages, and dispense with high tariffs and other barriers to commerce. But, it is argued, the cost of doing this, gigantic as it may be, is less than the cost of fighting a terrible war every generation or two. It is also argued that, due to the incredible production machine we will have at the war's end, our national income will be so high that we will be able to afford expenditures which would have been impossible in the past.

This, of course, is a form of imperialism. But its principal spokesmen such as Wallace, Welles, Roosevelt, Hoover and Willkie, say that it will have little in common with the imperialism of the past. They say it will not be based, as was the old imperialism, on subject peoples. Instead, it is to be based on more or less equal peoples, with each given full opportunity to share in the wealth and progress of the world.

There are skeptics who doubt that all this can be done. Even its zealous advocates admit that it is a colossal undertaking. It will be a journey of economic and social exploration for which there are neither charts nor precedents. But millions of men and women believe that unless it succeeds, "the

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MIDDLE INTERVALE

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Lawrence Kimball and family are home for the week end.

Mrs. Winifred Bartlett is caring for Mrs. Maurice Tyler on Grover Hill.

Rebecca Carter entertained at the Brick End House Saturday night, her mother, Mrs. Fannie Carter and her brothers, Augustus Carter and family, Richard Carter and family, Pvt. Stanley Carter from Camp Shelby, Miss., and Paul Carter also Miss Frances Carter, who is staying with Mrs. Fannie Carter for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and daughter, Ruth, spent Saturday at Songo Pond in company with Mrs. Stevens' brother and family, her mother and niece, Barbara, came home with them and they all went to Bailey's Island, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker and Catherine Stevens went to Auburn Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranald Stevens and daughter, Mary, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday at Bailey's Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens went with their daughter, Helen Swan, and family to Freeport and Cundy's Harbor for the week end.

Junior Carter, who is spending his vacation with his grandparents spent the week end with his parents in South Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Norton entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests. Mr. and Mrs. Ora Norton and son, Byron Norton of Guilford, Maine; Lee Ward of Cambridge, Maine; Tilden Norton, and Clyde Brazier also of Cambridge; also present was Mr. Norton's father, Robert S. Norton of Guilford, who will spend the summer with the Eugene Nortons'. Mrs. Norton's nephew, Master Othol Foster, of Portland is spending a portion of the summer with his aunt.



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LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent

SHOWER

Mrs. Norma Tirrell was given a shower at the American Legion hall Tuesday evening. A cart decorated with pink paper with the handle decorated to represent a stork was filled with gifts and brought into the room by Mrs. Tirrell's little niece, Mary Stuart Farnum.

After the gifts had been opened, refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. Florence Rand, Mrs. Florence Ring, Mrs. Bertha Davis, Miss Betty Davis, Mrs. Myrtle Clifford, Mrs. Mary Fuller, Mrs. Corn Bennett, Mrs. Barbara Hathaway, Mrs. Adelaide Lister, Mrs. George Tirrell, Miss Jean Tirrell, Miss Louise Tirrell, Mrs. Frances Farnum, Mary Stuart Farnum, Mrs. Ruth Ring, Mrs. Mary Andrews, Mrs. Lillian Fliske, Mrs. Emma Day, Mrs. Edith Littlefield, Mrs. Susie Kimball, Mrs. Mary Mills and the guest of honor, Mrs. Norma Tirrell. She received gifts from others who did not attend.

Philip and Theodore Cummings

of Hartford, Conn., were at their home here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fuller and little daughter of Bryant Pond were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis, for the week-end.

John Morelli of New York is at the home of Edmund Dowon for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift visited with relatives at Andover over the week-end.

David Roberts was at home from South Portland for the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Lang and son, Merle, were at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bryant, at Rowe Hill for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conant have been enjoying a visit from his parents of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Porter of Five Islands and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirk and son of Norway were here for the Fourth.

Mrs. Nathalie Hodgkins and children, Frances and Dale, have returned from Connecticut where they have been for several months.

Mrs. Blanche Lapham of Rumford was a recent guest at James

Unbeatable Team—Soldier, Bond Buyer



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THURSDAY, JULY 9, 1942

Ring's home. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse and family of Hartford, Conn., were in the place for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills and son, Blaine, spent the holiday and week-end at Camp Shadyacre at Twitchell Lake. Constance Coolidge and Betty Davis visited them while they were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Martin of Norway, were at the "Elmhurst" at Searsport over the holiday and week-end.

Mrs. Ida Crooker passed away Saturday after a short illness. Funeral services were held at the Locke Mills Church Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Berle Butler of Natick, Mass., are at Camp Grafton. Mrs. Butler was formerly Miss Myrtle Scholl of this place.

LOCKE MILLS

Mark Lapham celebrated his 75th birthday at his home June 25 with his children and grandchildren making glad the occasion. Mrs. Lapham is gradually improving from her ill health of the past winter and spring and many friends wish them many years of happiness.

EAST BETHEL

Adelle Kimball was the guest of her brother, Mellen Kimball, and family at Five Islands, last week.

Caroline Olson is spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Anne Cummings, in South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Kimball, daughter, Phyllis, of Five Islands and Donald Kimball of South Portland spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Doris Kimball. Sunday guests of Mrs. Kimball were Mr. and Mrs. Parsons and son, Clifford, and Robert Allen of South Paris and Miss Jean Davis of Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hastings and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Brooks and Donald at the Brooks' camp in Upton.

David Tamminen of Yarmouth is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. S. Hastings, and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brooks of Bryant Pond were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Billings, Sunday.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club met Tuesday afternoon for a meeting with their leaders, Mrs. Howe and Mrs. Hastings. While Gail made a cereal dessert and Adelle colored her color wheel the other six girls present with Mrs. Hastings had a question and answer game in insects and nests of the gardens, several true and false questions on gardens and plantings. It was decided to hold a club tour and picnic Wednesday, July 15. We found we had \$2.00 in the treasury from the sale of magazines. Some more remain to be picked up. For recreation a vegetable, or animal, alphabet scavenger hunt took place with the group divided into two groups, each of which had half the alphabet to find vegetable or animal articles for, as Apple was for A, and Bud was for B. The cereal dessert was served and pronounced very good, and they wished Gail had made twice as much. At the next regular meeting some

The Home Front

By Mrs. Julia Kiene
Westinghouse Home Economist

More Cold Facts

Grandma knew her "groceries" all right. She wrapped fruits and vegetables in wet cloths, and years later modern science tells us why.

Fruits and vegetables need mild cold combined with high humidity to keep them fresh. Once they're wilted, they've lost most of their vitamins — and, of course, their healthfulness.

Which explains why we should store them in the refrigerator until they're used.

Fresh vegetables, like carrots, radishes, beets and turnips, should be thoroughly cleaned before refrigerating, and the stems and leafy portions should be removed. Don't shell peas and limas or husk corn, however, until ready to use. They lose their sweetness. This applies to all vegetables: cook as much as you think you need. Leftovers lose a lot of some vitamins.

Berries shouldn't be washed until just before serving. If they are very ripe when you buy them or pick them (lucky you, if you have your own garden!) they'll keep better if placed on a platter and lightly covered with waxed paper.

Cantaloupe, pineapple and other fruits with a strong flavor should be chilled in the humidor or crisping pan if you have one.

Otherwise, wrap them in several thicknesses of waxed paper and put them on next to bottom shelf of your refrigerator. That's where tomatoes, berries and grapes belong, too.

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People, Spots In The News



YANK TANKS roar over hills "somewhere in Northern Ireland." This is hard training for the opening of a possible second front. The "General Grant" tanks lead the infantry in maneuvers.



KING AND QUEEN—Sgt. Owen Swift and Miss Elizabeth Turner lead grand march at Fort Knox, Ky., "Dairy Ball" sponsored cooperatively by Louisville's Women's Recreation Council, chain stores, milk producers and Army officials as highlight of National Dairy Month.



UMES DOWN—Collision with Yankee pitcher Spurgeon Chandler felled Umpire Harry Geisel in game with Chicago White Sox. Geisel, downed when covering a play at third, had to leave game.



BY A WHISKER!—Bobby Ginn, of Nebraska, is shown making dive for finish line tape at end of mile run in N. C. A. A. track meet at Lincoln, Neb. Ginn beat out Leroy Weed, of Southern California. His time was 4:11.1.



NEW USE FOR JEEP—"Jack of all trades" is just another nickname for the Jeep, according to reports from battlefields. Designed and manufactured by Willys-Overland Motors, this fast-moving, hard-hitting reconnaissance car demonstrates its use as a mount for a 50-calibre anti-tank gun. (U. S. Signal Corps Photo.)

HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stone of Rochester, N. H., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Dickson.

Mrs. C. F. Saunders and Mrs. Amelia Schwind of Rumford attended the Grand Temple Club Luncheon at Auburn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilson and family were guests of his father and mother at Jackman last week. Katherine and Keith Wilson remained there for a visit.

Ernest Bennett is boarding at Frank Douglas.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy entertained at a Silver Tea Friday for the benefit of the library. A short program was presented by Mrs. Blanche Worcester and Mrs. Addie Saunders after which delicious refreshments were served. Those attending were Mrs. Chas. Poore, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Frances Davis, Mrs. Alice Staples, Mrs. Maria Twitchell, Mrs. Marian Taylor, Mrs. Eva Hayford, Mrs. Mary Sanford, Mrs. Ella Russell, Mrs. Blanche Worcester, Mrs. Addie Saunders and the hostess.

Horace Morse is helping George Stearns with his haying.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sanford are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker, for two weeks.

NORTH NEWRY

J. L. Ferren and family of Worcester, Mass., are visitors at L. E. Wight's.

Mrs. Rena Foster of Massachusetts spent the Fourth at F. W. Wight's.

Miss Hazel Hangom was at home over the week-end.

Sugar rationing for canning in

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF
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321, U. S. REVISED STATUTES

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts,	\$46,089.07
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed,	113,600.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions,	8,000.00
4. Other bonds, notes and debentures,	155,348.50
5. Corporate stocks (including \$1,700 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,500.00
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection,	151,297.00
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises,	1.00
12. Total Assets,	\$475,835.57
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations,	\$329,834.80
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions,	20,035.64
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	109.68
19. Total deposits	\$358,999.62
23. Other Liabilities,	1,881.25
24. Total Liabilities,	\$360,880.87
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par,	25,000.00
26. Surplus,	25,000.00
27. Undivided profits,	64,954.70
29. Total Capital Accounts,	114,954.70
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts,	\$475,835.57

State of Maine,

County of Oxford, ss:

I, Fred B. Merrill, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED B. MERRILL, Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July 1942.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS,

Notary Public

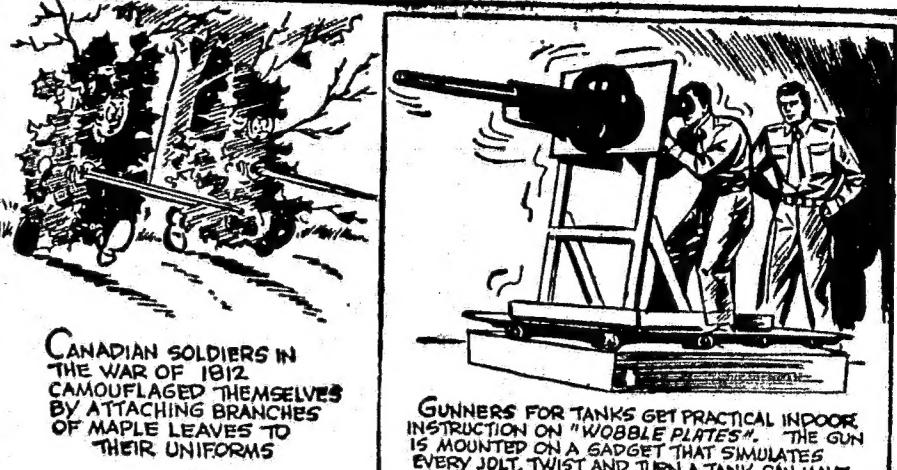
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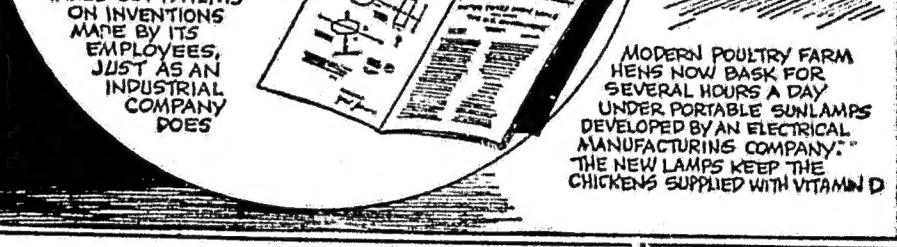
CANADIAN SOLDIERS IN THE WAR OF 1812 CAMOUFLAGED THEMSELVES BY ATTACHING BRANCHES OF MAPLE LEAVES TO THEIR UNIFORMS



GUINNERS FOR TANKS GET PRACTICAL INDOOR INSTRUCTION ON "TUMBLE PLATES". THE GUN IS MOUNTED ON A SWIVEL MOUNT THAT SIMULATES EVERY JOLT, TWIST AND TURN A TANK CAN MAKE WHILE IN MOTION



AT THE TIME OF THE LAST WAR THE UNITED STATES HAD TO IMPORT AT LEAST 42 MATERIALS THAT WERE NEEDED FOR DEFENSE. SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH HAS REDUCED THAT LIST TO 1/4 TODAY.



THE U. S. GOVERNMENT TAKES OUT PATENTS ON INVENTIONS MADE BY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, JUST AS AN INDUSTRIAL COMPANY DOES

MODERN POULTRY FARM HENS NOW LAY FOR SEVERAL HOURS A DAY UNDER PORTABLE SUNLAMPS DEVELOPED BY AN ELECTRICAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY. THE NEW LAMPS GIVE THE CHICKENS SUPPLIED WITH VITAMIN D

Newry was Thursday and Friday at the homes of and in charge of 15 day furlough.

Mrs. Ida Wight, Mrs. Grace Arsenault and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds.

CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of Alma Mitchell wish to express their gratitude to those who helped in any way at the time of their bereavement.

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For nearly a year we have offered a year's subscription to the CITIZEN without cost to any man or woman from this locality serving in the armed forces of the country. The response to this offer has far exceeded our hopes, and the newspaper has been much appreciated by the recipients as shown by the many notes of thanks and interest received from readers and friends or relatives who have submitted names and addresses. However, the call has been so great that it is necessary on account of increased expense to make a small charge for this service.

All free service subscriptions now in force will continue to one full year from the first issue mailed. Beginning July 10 we will send the CITIZEN to any person serving in the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps for \$1.00 a year. This rate will apply to all such subscriptions, regardless of the address, either new subscriptions or renewals of free service subscriptions. No subscriptions will be entered at this rate for less than one year, payable in advance.

We regret the necessity of making this charge, but believe that this half rate will meet the approval of both the donors and recipients as our former offer has during the past year.

The CITIZEN



When they are not fighting the invader, Chinese soldiers do their part in the job of building vital roads and railways for New China.

Workmen forge a steel machine-gum part at a factory in western China. Under tremendous handicaps, the Chinese have started from nothing and built up modern industrial plants behind their fighting lines.

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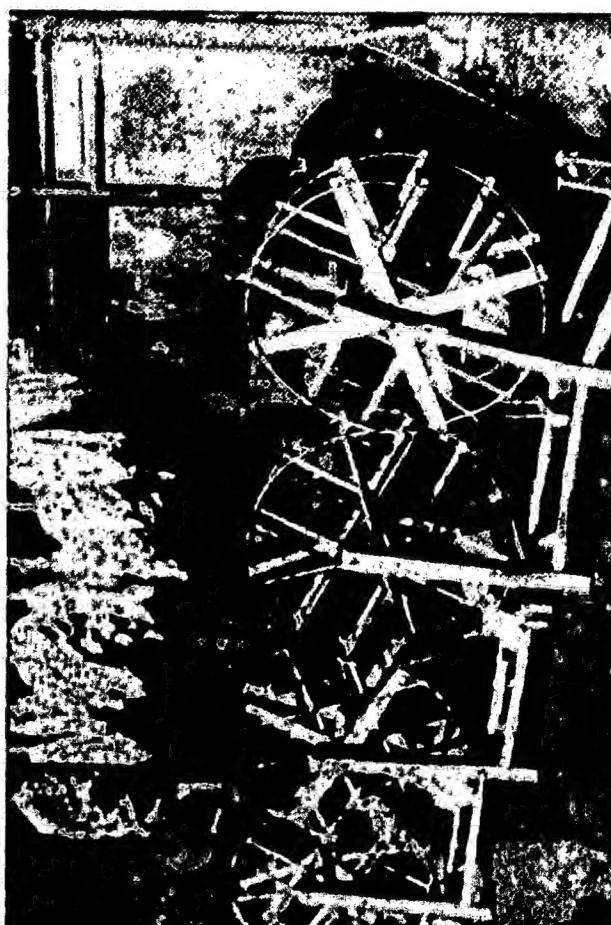


Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek is the fighting leader of the Chinese Republic. Shown with General Chiang in this photograph is Owen Lattimore, his political adviser from America. In spite of the welcome lend-lease aid which we now send, many more U. S. planes, guns and supplies are desperately needed so China can hold her vital sector in the United Nations battle line.

Children sing for the workers of an industrial cooperative in Kiangsi Province, 3,000 of these small industries help sustain China's millions and supply her armies' war needs.



This waterfront scene is typical of the barge traffic on China's great rivers. China is rich in many raw materials the U. S. needs, but Japanese blockade must be lifted before they can get here.



Old-fashioned spinning wheels provide yarn to clothe China's millions. Tiny home industries like this are encouraged in China where they exist side by side with modern factories and machines.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

A pretty wedding occurred Sunday afternoon at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, pastor of the Universalist Church when Miss Eleanor Louise Abbott became the bride of Reino Victor Ruokolainen. The double ring service was used. Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen.

Mrs. Ruokolainen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abbott of South Paris and is a graduate of Paris High School class of 1941.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Resta Ruokolainen of Greenwood and the late John Ruokolainen and was educated in the Greenwood schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Palmer of Plattsburg, N. Y., are spending the week with Mrs. Maud Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall A. Ring returned from their wedding trip Monday and Mr. Ring left for Camp Devens, Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rollins of Springfield, Mass., were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mayhew.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes spent Monday with friends at South Paris.

Mrs. Clara Merrill and daughter, Carolee, of Springfield, Mass., were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Perham.

Miss Ellen L. Stearns who teaches at Beverly, Mass., is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Stearns.

Jacob Imonen, who has been in charge of a store at Milford, N. H., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Imonen.

Silas Konston and his assistant Verner Smith are asking for vol-

unteers for 4 hour service at the Observation Station at Tuell.

July fourth was sane and civil. The younger celebrants placed the usual debris on some people's lawns but it was taken away early in the morning. The Alumni Association sponsored the Celebration of the Fourth. The prizes for the parade were won: First Aid, 1st prize, Penley Brothers Mill and Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Farr Ticket prizes, Roscoe Doughty and Mrs. Lois Swift. The dinner was well patronized as also were all the sports and sales on the athletic field in the afternoon.

Miss Ethel Flavin who teaches in Paterson, N. J., is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Flavin.

Sgt. John Herrick and Sgt. Ellis Cummings are having a 10 day furlough from Camp Shelby, Miss., and are visiting relatives.

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BETHEL Oxford County CITIZEN

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

RECEPTION

A public reception was given Franklin Grange Master and Mrs. Otis Evans in the Grange Hall at Bryant Pond Saturday evening, June 27th, in honor of their recent marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Evans were escorted to the receiving line by the members of the Ladies Degree Team who acted as ushers. In the receiving line were the bride and bridegroom, Miss Lydia Brooks, Gardner Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wescott and Mrs. Nellie Sweat. Music was furnished by Miss Margaret Howe and Mrs. Annie Davis, piano, J. Everett Howe, Cecil Kimball, violin and Ellis Davis, drums. The program included:

Readings, James Russell
Vocal Duet, I Love You Truly,
Misses Margaret Howe and Beatrice Hathaway
Piano solo, Dexter Stowell
Saxophone solo, Miss Olive Howe

Those in charge of the affair were Mrs. Marion Mason, Mrs. Vernon Swan, Mrs. Olive Davis, Mrs. Annie Davis, Mrs. Ella Day, Mrs. Elva Abbott, Mrs. Electa Davis, and Mrs. Flora Cole. Refreshments and a dance followed.

Jerry Farrar is recovering from a broken shoulder received at Mechanic Falls last week when he was doing carpenter work and fell when the staging broke. He was treated by Dr. F. L. Smalley and then was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital where X-rays were taken and found a break just below the shoulder joint.

Oscar Twitchell was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital by Dr. F. L. Smalley where X-rays showed two fractures of the left Twitchell fell while at work in his barn.

Visitors this week of the Misses Alice Chute and Orissa Wolcott were Mr. and Mrs. George Arthur Crockett and daughter, Thelma, Betty Davis, Connie and Tessie Coolidge of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown of Upton and Elmer Morton of Mechanic Falls. Mrs. Grace Ryerson of Locke Mills was an overnight guest.

Miss Alice Chute, who has been receiving treatment for eyes and ears since her illness this spring, was able to spend the holiday at Ocean Park and Old Orchard Beach with Misses Orissa Wolcott, Edith Whitman and Mrs. Gracie Ryerson of Locke Mills.

Mrs. Marjorie Lowe is working for Mrs. Volney Lakeway. Mrs. Lowe had as visitors her daughters, Mrs. Richard Scott and Mrs. Harold Waite Jr. from South Portland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Cummings and son, Harlan, of Beebe, Vt., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings and other relatives in town and Mrs. Cummings parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, and other relatives at West Paris.

Murry Cummings, who works in the shipyard at South Portland, was a holiday and week end guest in town.

Mrs. Levie McAllister has been visiting her son, Russell McAllister and wife at South Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children, Arlene and Kenneth Swan, and Miss Helen Noyes went to H. Alton Bacon's Camp at Harpswell. They had for guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farnum and two children, also Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell of Albany.

Miss Myrtle Bacon of Boston, Mass., is here at her camp, "The Little Jay," for the summer. Her uncle, Walter L. Bacon of Norway plans to come this week to stay here as her guest.

Mrs. Bertha Houghton from Massachusetts is here at her home for the summer. She has had as guests Mr. and Mrs. John Baylers

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell spent the week-end and holiday at Harpswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell called on Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball July 4.

Ernest Wentworth called on friends in Bisbeetown Sunday. John Spinney is working for W. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cummings and two sons, Mrs. Nellie Hobson and Mrs. Winola Brown and daughter called on Hazel Wardwell, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dubay are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Canwell.

Major Everett Dunham and two sons were guests of his father, Charles Dunham, at Bryant Pond a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Mrs. Alice Wardwell and Joe Pechnik were in Norway on business, Monday.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewel of Plymouth, N. H., spent the holiday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball. Mrs. Jewel and baby are staying this week, while Mr. Jewel returned to his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball were at Higgins Beach to visit his brother, Ralph, and wife Sunday.

George Logan was home from Bath over the holiday and Sunday.

Mr. Morgan was with his family over the 4th. They also entertained other company from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Young from Massachusetts, who have returned home.

Misses Betty and Kathryn Permam of Portland were visitors here for the holiday and week end.

Mr. Elmer Wing and son, Richard, who have been guests of relatives at Detroit, Mich., have returned home.

Miss Suzanne Stowell of Andover is the guest of her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummings.

Pvt. Richard Howe of Camp Shelby, Miss., is spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howe.

Shirley Lakeway and friends have returned home.

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CENTER LOVELL

The girls arrived at Camp Mudjekeewis Sunday, June 28, for the summer. Other new arrivals for the season are the Bloomgart family of Massachusetts, the Northrop sisters of Massachusetts, Mrs. John Halford, John Halford Jr., wife and son of Pennsylvania, and Judge and Mrs. Dallenger of New York. Joan Hobson has been visiting at her grandparents' at Lynchville.

Thelma Flint of North Fryeburg is working at Alice Dowell's.

Mrs. Ina Stearns and Dean spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Herbert McKeen.

The Ware families have returned to Vineland, N. J., after a two week's stay at their home here.

The Fish and Game Association meeting was held at Vinton's Camps on Kzar Lake Monday night, June 29. Mr. Wade of the State Department of Inland Fisheries and Game, gave a very interesting talk. The new officers were elected and refreshments were served.

People in this vicinity were very sorry to hear of the death of Susie Burnell and much sympathy is felt for her family.

Roswell Allen is boarding at Mrs. L. C. Sawyer's, while his mother is working at Sunset Farm for Mrs. Heims.

Frank Sixby of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Fox. Nancy Stearns spent the past week at her grandfather's, Herbert McKeen's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell of East Bethel were recent guests of their daughter, Mrs. Roy Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Eastman and two sons called on Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph McAlister, Saturday.

Sidney McAlister was in Portland Tuesday, to see Dell Stanley at the Maine General Hospital, where he is a patient.

Harold Thompson and Bertram McAlister were in Portland one day the past week.

Carl Brown is getting his mill set up at Sabattus.

Weeman McAlister has gone to South Portland to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family, Mrs. A. B. Cooper and Mrs. Bertha Andrews called at Harlan Bumpus' one evening last week.

Miss Beverly Hall spent last week at Albert McAlister's at Bethel.

Ben Inman is gaining after his recent illness.

Arthur Haseltine and friends spent July 4th at Old Orchard.

Mr. Buck is haying for Ray Lapham.

Mrs. A. B. Cooper, from Milton, Mass., spent a few days at L. J. Andrews' before going to her camp at Papoosie Pond for the summer.

Will McAlister had the misfortune to lose one of his horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family were at Fred Hersey's at North Waterford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews attended the picnic at Songo Pond the 4th of July.

Mrs. Ernest Brown and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus had charge of the registration for canning sugar at the Town House Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertha Andrews called at the Town House Friday.

Clarence Waterhouse and family of Connecticut called at Osman Palmer's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring spent the 4th with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis called at Newton Bryant's, Sunday.

Miss Vada Enman is visiting Mrs. Ray Hanscom.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

—continued from first page

Miss Edith Levesque of Lewiston is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pratt.

Mrs. Charles Haselton of Portland returned home Sunday, accompanied by her daughter, Charlene, who had been here with her grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Haselton, and aunt, Miss Eugenia Haselton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett, Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. John Thorne, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerckhoven spent the holiday week-end at Three-Mile Pond, Vassalboro.

NEWRY CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Manchester of West Hartford, Conn., are spending their yearly vacation at Bear River Cabins.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bond of Gardiner City, N. Y., are staying for a short time at their summer home. Madeleine Bond and Patricia Chamberlain, who accompanied them here, returned home, Tuesday.

Mrs. Herbert Morton Jr. and children have been visiting her parents in Auburn for several days.

Margaret Carey has returned to her home in Woodstock after several weeks spent with her aunt, Mrs. Selma Chapman.

H. E. Harlowe had company from Mechanic Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy of Brooklyn, N. Y., returned home Wednesday after two weeks spent at Bear River Cabins.

Mrs. Frances Davis of Hanover spent Sunday at her home in town.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Misses Cora and Margaret Muzell of Rumford spent the weekend with Mrs. Jennie Coburn and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blake.

Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mrs. A. S. Grover and Miss Laura Inman were the guests of Mrs. William Zintl at Whitefield, Monday.

E. A. Van Den Kerckhoven was in Boston last week to attend a meeting of the directors of the Telephone Association of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Perley Flint at Boscobuck Camps, Wilson's Mills several days last week.

Mrs. Harvey Jones and children of Lewiston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean. Mr. Jones and sister, Miss Miriam Jones, were here for the week-end.

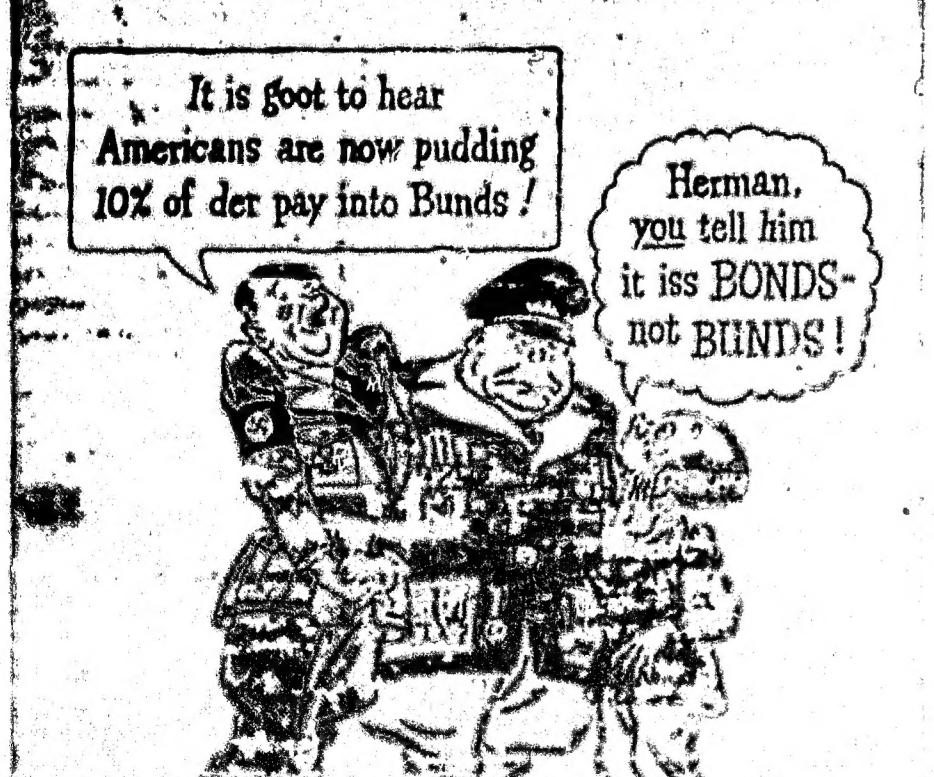
Mrs. Philip Chapman was in Boston last week to attend the graduation of her daughter, Virginia, from the Forsythe School of Dental Hygiene.

O'Neill Robertson, a student at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, arrived home last week to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Robertson.

Rev. and Mrs. Elwin Wilson and two children of Portland were recent guests of relatives in town. Miss Minnie Wilson returned with them Monday for a visit.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, July 12

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

The Junior Congregation meets in the church for the opening service. Sermon subject, "The Good Earth."

The attendance of the children has been disappointing. Parents are specially invited to bring their children to the regular service.

Visitors and summer guests are cordially welcomed.

METHODIST CHURCH

M. A. Gordon, pastor
9:45 Church School. Mrs. Leonie Swan, supt. Classes for all.

11:00 Sunday morning worship. Special singing by Church choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon "Reckoning with Ourselves." Holy Communion.

And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore and teach all nations baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Matt. 28: 18.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 12.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHAPEL

Rev. Don Fife, Minister

About 18 members now comprise the West Bethel Hi-School Fellowship, which last Thursday spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Smith. Fun, food, frolic, and fellowship was the bill-o-fare. The recently elected officers of the group are: President, Ruth Walker; Vice-President, Richard Bean; Secretary, Colleen Bennett; and Treasurer, Lawrence Kendall. Next Thursday the topic for their consideration will be: "How Can I Get Along with People?" Rev. Fife will be the leader. A treasure hunt is being planned for the July 23 get-together.

The uncertainty of material possessions, as pointed out by Jesus, will be considered as we worship Sunday morning, July 12, as Rev. Fife brings the message: "How Much Have You Got in the Bank?" These are times of treasure testing for every one of us. Have you enough of a supply to carry you through the crisis? At 7:30 we will continue our vesper hour theme of the Lord's Prayer, this week dealing with the second phrase: "Hallowed Be Thy Name."

Save the time and the date: 11 a. m. July 19 for Family Rally Sunday. Recognition will be made of the best family turnouts.

A Church Meeting is scheduled for 7:30, the evening of Monday, July 13, in the parlors of the West Bethel Union Chapel. All officers and other members are urged to be present.

GILEAD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Don Fife, Minister
Vesper Worship hours are being held each Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in your beautiful church. We urge you to take advantage of these periods of meditation. The world needs God. You need God. You can find Him and make it possible for Him to use you by attending church regularly. Be with us this Sunday at 6.

The Gilead Church School now has a total enrollment of nine youth, having added Clark Leighton, Joanne Baker, and Joanne Olson to their number last week. They will gather at 11:15 next Wednesday for another of their lessons on: God's Loyal Children, with Rev. Fife in charge.

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Pastor, Rev. Abbie Norton
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Sept. 6. Supt. Carleton Lapham. Special Notice. Regular Service of Worship, this week only, will be on the church lawn, immediately following the Band Concert by the Bethel Band.

4 p. m. Sunday, the Bethel Band

will give a concert on the church lawn. There will be seats provided for all. A concert of religious and patriotic music has been given twice before in the last two years by the Band, and it has been a memory to cherish. Few bands remote from the great musical centers have achieved the success of the Bethel Band. And we doubt if any have been as generous to the outlying communities. Everybody is invited to this free concert.

Last Sunday eve, at the vesper period preceding the evening sermon, Prof. B. Whitman played "Ave Maria" by Gounod and "Romance" by Ernst on the cello, accompanied at the organ by Miss Margaret Howe of Bryant Pond, where Prof. Whitman is conducting a ten-week class in music. Besides the regular church orchestra, there was an accordian solo by Herbertina Norton.

BIRTHS

At Bethel, July 6, to the wife of Stanley Brown, a daughter, Ann Carlene.

At Lovell, July 2, to the wife of Dennis Chandler, a son.

At Meriden, Conn., June 30, to the wife of Kenneth Mott, the former Ruby Jodrey of Bethel, a daughter, Pamela Alice.

MARRIAGES

At West Paris, July 5, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Miss Eleanor Louise Abbott of South Paris and Reino Victor Ruokainen of Greenwood.

At North Newry, June 25, by Rev. Norman Scruton, Miss Ramona Morton and Origene L. Filial Jr.

At Coaticook, Canada, July 4, by Rev. Ray Stafford, Miss Kathryn I. MacKay of Wytopitlock and Rodney Eames of Hartford, Conn., formerly of Bethel.

DEATHS

At Bethel, July 3, Mrs. Alma Mitchell, aged 84 years.

At Lovell, June 29, Mrs. Susie Littlefield Burnell.

At Locke Mills, July 4, Mrs. Ida Crooker.

LOVEJOY JOINS ARMY

Alfred Warren Lovejoy, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Lovejoy of West Bethel, left Wednesday, July 8, for Fort Devens, Mass., to join the armed forces. He graduated from Gould Academy in 1936 and has since taken a course in Higher Accountancy with LaSalle University in Chicago. For the past three years he has been employed as a bookkeeper for James Barnett and the Brown Company. He has been an active member of the West Bethel Union Church and has the best wishes of his many friends as he leaves to take up his duties for the government.

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